

H.R. 1009: Mr. SESSIONS and Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 1126: Mr. SMITH of Oregon, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. POSHARD, Mr. EDWARDS, Ms. MCKINNEY, and Mr. STENHOLM.

H.R. 1140: Mr. MENENDEZ.

H.R. 1147: Mr. TALENT.

H.R. 1231: Mr. KLINK, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. GOODLATTE, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, and Mr. GALLEGLY.

H.R. 1376: Mr. SHAYS.

H.R. 1407: Mr. HOSTETTLER.

H.R. 1524: Mr. PASTOR.

H.R. 1891: Mr. PAXON.

H.R. 2313: Mr. CRAMER.

H.R. 2397: Mr. COYNE, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. PASCRELL, Ms. DANNER, and Mr. HALL of Ohio.

H.R. 2483: Mr. MCINNIS, Mr. ROYCE, and Mr. CRAPO.

H.R. 2504: Mr. McNULTY.

H.R. 2523: Mr. COSTELLO.

H.R. 2699: Mr. FORD, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, and Mr. KILDEE.

H.R. 2800: Mr. NEY and Mr. SOUDER.

H.R. 2848: Mr. MARTINEZ and Mr. VENTO.

H.R. 2891: Mr. PORTMAN.

H.R. 2914: Ms. LEE, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. BISHOP, Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, and Mr. JACKSON.

H.R. 2936: Mr. SHAYS and Mr. LEACH.

H.R. 2955: Mr. MCGOVERN.

H.R. 3008: Mr. SNOWBARGER, Mr. GREEN, Mr. HORN, Mr. NEY, and Mrs. CUBIN.

H.R. 3126: Mr. CLYBURN.

H.R. 3166: Mr. ISTOOK.

H.R. 3205: Ms. CARSON, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. TURNER, Mr. BOEHLERT, Ms. NORTON, and Mr. DUNCAN.

H.R. 3259: Mr. EVANS.

H.R. 3262: Mr. CARDIN.

H.R. 3279: Mr. TOWNS and Mr. PASCRELL.

H.R. 3342: Mrs. MINK of Hawaii and Mr. ACKERMAN.

H.R. 3410: Mr. MCINNIS and Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky.

H.R. 3506: Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, and Mr. DEUTSCH.

H.R. 3567: Mr. GOODE, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. NEUMANN, and Mr. WALSH.

H.R. 3583: Mr. EHLERS and Mr. MANZULLO.

H.R. 3605: Mr. FARR of California, Mr. KIND of Wisconsin, and Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.

H.R. 3610: Mr. STRICKLAND, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. ROGERS, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. MICA, and Ms. STABENOW.

H.R. 3622: Mr. TOWNS and Mr. OWENS.

H.R. 3702: Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts and Mr. FILNER.

H.R. 3704: Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. GOODLATTE, and Mr. PICKETT.

H.R. 3731: Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. WAMP, Mr. GUTKNECHT, and Mr. STUMP.

H.R. 3782: Mr. KILDEE, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, and Mr. OLVER.

H.R. 3783: Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. PITTS, Mr. LARGENT, and Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey.

H.R. 3792: Mr. BARTON of Texas and Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 3821: Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina and Mr. MANZULLO.

H.R. 3831: Ms. SLAUGHTER, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. GORDON, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. STARK, and Mr. ENGEL.

H.R. 3862: Ms. PRYCE of Ohio.

H.R. 3864: Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky, Mrs. NORTHUP, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, and Mr. BAESLER.

H.R. 3875: Ms. LEE.

H.R. 3888: Mr. NEY, and Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.

H.R. 3939: Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. KLINK, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. WELDON

of Pennsylvania, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, Mr. COYNE, Mr. MCHALE, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. MCDADE, Mr. GEKAS, and Mr. PITTS.

H.R. 3949: Mr. BONILLA, Mr. PETRI, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. BRYANT, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. PAUL, and Mr. BARTON of Texas.

H.R. 3980: Ms. RIVERS, and Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts.

H.R. 3999: Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. KLINK, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, Mr. COYNE, Mr. MCHALE, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. MCDADE, Mr. GEKAS, and Mr. PITTS.

H.R. 4000: Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. KLINK, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, Mr. COYNE, Mr. MCHALE, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. MCDADE, Mr. GEKAS, and Mr. PITTS.

H.R. 4001: Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. KLINK, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, Mr. COYNE, Mr. MCHALE, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. MCDADE, Mr. GEKAS, and Mr. PITTS.

H.R. 4002: Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. KLINK, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, Mr. COYNE, Mr. MCHALE, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. MCDADE, Mr. GEKAS, and Mr. PITTS.

H.R. 4003: Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. KLINK, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, Mr. COYNE, Mr. MCHALE, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. MCDADE, Mr. GEKAS, and Mr. PITTS.

H.R. 4018: Mr. POSHARD, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, and Ms. DELAURO.

H.R. 4019: Mrs. MYRICK.

H.R. 4025: Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.

H.R. 4027: Mr. MURTHA, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. FROST, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, and Mr. COOK.

H.R. 4028: Mr. YATES and Mr. ENGEL.

H.R. 4031: Mr. TOWNS.

H.R. 4037: Mr. TALENT, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. CALVERT, and Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 4086: Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. DEGETTE, Mrs. CAPPS, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. FROST, and Mr. LAMPSON.

H.R. 4109: Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, and Mr. MCHALE.

H.R. 4110: Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. OLVER, and Mr. SANDLIN.

H.R. 4121: Ms. ESHOO.

H.R. 4125: Mr. SAM JOHNSON, Mr. ENSIGN, Mrs. CUBIN, and Mr. CUNNINGHAM.

H.R. 4131: Mr. WEYGAND.

H.R. 4138: Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. NEAL of Mas-

sachusetts, Mr. YATES, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. FROST, Mr. RUSH, Mrs. MORELLA, and Mr. MCGOVERN.

H.R. 4149: Mr. HOSTETTLER and Mr. BOB SCHAFFER.

H.R. 4152: Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. ADAM SMITH of Washington, Mr. OBERSTAR, and Mr. KLECZKA.

H.R. 4167: Mr. HUTCHINSON.

H.R. 4184: Mr. LAMPSON and Ms. KILPATRICK.

H.R. 4185: Mr. LAMPSON and Ms. KILPATRICK.

H.R. 4196: Mr. SKEEN, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. STUMP, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. PAUL, Mr. BARTON of Texas, and Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland.

H.R. 4197: Mr. COLLINS, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. LARGENT, and Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland.

H.R. 4214: Mr. LEVIN, Mr. KLECZKA, and Mr. SANDERS.

H.J. Res. 72: Mr. SHAYS.

H.J. Res. 124: Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey.

H. Con. Res. 55: Mrs. BONO and Mr. HEFLEY.

H. Con. Res. 65: Mr. FOSSELLA.

H. Con. Res. 236: Mr. SCARBOROUGH.

H. Con. Res. 239: Mr. RUSH and Mrs. MORELLA.

H. Con. Res. 296: Mr. WEYGAND and Mr. MORAN of Virginia.

H. Res. 37: Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mr. KANJORSKI, Ms. HARMAN, Mr. KLINK, Mr. OBEY, Mr. ROEMER, Mr. TANNER, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, and Mr. HALL of Ohio.

H. Res. 460: Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. TORRES, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. ROTHMAN, and Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York.

#### ¶67.32 DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, sponsor was deleted from the public bill as follows:

H.R. 219: Ms. KILPATRICK.

### THURSDAY, JULY 16, 1998 (68)

#### ¶68.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The House was called to order by the SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MILLER of Florida, who laid before the House the following communication:

WASHINGTON, DC,

July 16, 1998.

I hereby designate the Honorable DAN MILLER to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,

*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

#### ¶68.2 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MILLER of Florida, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Wednesday, July 15, 1998.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal was approved.

#### ¶68.3 COMMUNICATIONS

Executive and other communications, pursuant to clause 2, rule XXIV, were referred as follows:

10001. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Tart Cherries Grown in the States of Michigan, et al.; Establishment of Rules and Regulations for Grower Diversion

and a Compensation Rate for the Cherry Industry Administrative Board Public Member and Alternate Public Member [Docket No. FV97-930-2 FR] received July 7, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

10002. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Removal of U.S. Grade Standards and Other Selected Regulations [Docket Number FV-95-303] received July 7, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

10003. A letter from the Chief, Programs and Legislation Division, Office of Legislative Liaison, Department of the Air Force, transmitting notification that the Commander of Pacific Air Forces is initiating a multi-function cost comparison of the Supply and Transportation functions at Andersen Air Force Base (AFB), Guam, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2304 nt.; to the Committee on National Security.

10004. A letter from the Chief, Programs and Legislation Division, Office of Legislative Liaison, Department of the Air Force, transmitting notification that the Commander of the United States Air Force Personnel Center is initiating a single-function cost comparison of the Master Personnel Records function at the Air Force Personnel Center, Randolph Air Force Base (AFB), San Antonio, Texas, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2304 nt.; to the Committee on National Security.

10005. A letter from the President and Chairman, Export-Import Bank of the United States, transmitting a report involving U.S. exports to Mexico, pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 635(b)(3)(i); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

10006. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Management and Budget, transmitting a report to Congress on direct spending or receipts legislation, pursuant to Public Law 105-178; to the Committee on the Budget.

10007. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Management and Budget, transmitting a report to Congress on direct spending or receipts legislation, pursuant to Public Law 105-180; to the Committee on the Budget.

10008. A letter from the Acting Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final rule—Systems-Change Projects to Expand Employment Opportunities for Individuals With Mental or Physical Disabilities, or Both, Who Receive Public Support (RIN: 1820-ZA11) received July 7, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

10009. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final rule—Systems-Change Projects to Expand Employment Opportunities for Individuals With Mental or Physical Disabilities, or Both, Who Receive Public Support (RIN: 1820-ZA11) received July 7, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

10010. A letter from the Acting Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Office of Policy, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drug Products Containing Quinine for the Treatment and/or Prevention of Malaria for Over-the-Counter Human Use [Docket No. 94N-0355] received June 26, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10011. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Office of Policy, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Food Labeling: Health Claims;

Chromium and the Risk in Adults of Hyperglycemia and the Effects of Glucose Intolerance [Docket No. 98N-0424] received June 26, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10012. A letter from the AMD—Performance Evaluation and Records Management, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.207(b) of the Commission's Rules Regarding Minimum Distance Separations To Mexican Broadcast Stations—received June 26, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10013. A letter from the Acting Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Office of Policy, Food and Drug Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Food Labeling: Health Claims; Antioxidant Vitamin A and Beta-Carotene and the Risk in Adults of Atherosclerosis, Coronary Heart Disease, and Certain Cancers [Docket No. 98N-0428] received June 26, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10014. A letter from the Acting Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Office of Policy, Food and Drug Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Food Labeling: Health Claims; Antioxidant Vitamins C and E and the Risk in Adults of Atherosclerosis, Coronary Heart Disease, Certain Cancers, and Cataracts [Docket No. 98N-0426] received June 26, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10015. A letter from the Acting Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Office of Policy, Food and Drug Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Food Labeling: Health Claims; Zinc and the Body's Ability to Fight Infection and Heal Wounds in Adults [Docket No. 98N-0421] received June 26, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10016. A letter from the Acting Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Office of Policy, Food and Drug Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Food Labeling: Health Claims; Garlic, Reduction of Serum Cholesterol, and the Risk of Cardiovascular Disease in Adults [Docket No. 98N-0422] received June 26, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10017. A letter from the Acting Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Office of Policy, Food and Drug Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Food Labeling: Health Claims; Omega 3 Fatty Acids and the Risk in Adults of Cardiovascular Disease [Docket No. 98N-0419] received June 26, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10018. A letter from the Acting Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Office of Policy, Food and Drug Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Food Labeling: Health Claims; Calcium Consumption by Adolescents and Adults, Bone Density and the Risk of Fractures [Docket No. 98N-0423] received June 29, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10019. A letter from the Acting Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Office of Policy, Food and Drug Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Indirect Food Additives: Adjuvants, Production Aids, and Sanitizers [Docket No. 97F-0440] received June 29, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10020. A letter from the Acting Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Office of Policy, Food and Drug Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Food Labeling: Health Claims; B-Com-

plex Vitamins, Lowered Homocysteine Levels, and the Risk in Adults of Cardiovascular Disease [Docket No. 98N-0427] received June 26, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10021. A letter from the Acting Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Office of Policy, Health and Human Services, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Food Labeling: Health Claims; Vitamin K and Promotion of Proper Blood Clotting and Improvement in Bone Health in Adults [Docket No. 98N-0420] received June 26, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10022. A letter from the Deputy Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Year 2000 Readiness Reports to be made by certain transfer agents [Release No. 34-40163; File No. S7-8-98] (RIN: 3235-AH42) received July 7, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10023. A letter from the Deputy Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Reports to be Made by Certain Brokers and Dealers [Release No. 34-40162; File No. S7-7-98] (RIN: 3235-AH36) received July 7, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10024. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold under a contract to Israel (Transmittal No. DTC-77-98), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

10025. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold under a contract to the Government of Japan (Transmittal No. DTC-83-98), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(d); to the Committee on International Relations.

10026. A letter from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting copies of international agreements, other than treaties, entered into by the United States, pursuant to 1 U.S.C. 112b(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

10027. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a copy of Presidential Determination No. 98-25, reporting that Pakistan, a non-nuclear-weapon state, detonated a nuclear explosive device on May 28, 1998, pursuant to AECA section 102(b); to the Committee on International Relations.

10028. A letter from the Inspector General, General Services Administration, transmitting Activities of the Inspector General, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

10029. A letter from the Interim Auditor, District of Columbia, transmitting Results of investigations of the District of Columbia Auditor, pursuant to D.C. Code section 47-117(d); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

10030. A letter from the Comptroller General, General Accounting Office, transmitting a list of all reports issued or released in May 1998, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 719(h); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

10031. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Housing Finance Board, transmitting Management reports of Government Corporations, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 9106; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

10032. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the Of-

file's final rule—Employment In The Senior Executive Service Promotion And Internal Placement (RIN: 3206-AH92) received June 29, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

10033. A letter from the Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, transmitting the Office's final rule—West Virginia Regulatory Program [WV-078-FOR] received July 9, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

10034. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of Commerce and Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule—Changes to Continued Prosecution Application Practice [Docket No. 98108007-8131-02] (RIN: 0651-AA97) received June 29, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

10035. A letter from the Administrator, Federal Aviation Administration, transmitting a report to Congress entitled, "Child Pilot Safety Manipulation of Flight Controls," pursuant to Public Law 104-264, section 602; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10036. A letter from the National Director of Appeals, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Salvage Value On Vessels Placed In Service Prior To January 1, 1981—received July 6, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

10037. A letter from the National Director, Tax Forms and Publications Division, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—General Rules for Filing and Specifications for the Private Printing of Substitute Forms W-2 and W-3 [Rev. Proc. 98-33] received June 29, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

#### ¶68.4 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Lundregan, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate passed a bill of the following title, in which concurrence of the House is requested:

S. 1283. An Act to award congressional gold medals to Jean Brown Trickey, Carlotta Walls LaNier, Melba Pattillo Beals, Terrence Roberts, Gloria Ray Karlmark, Thelma Mothershed Wair, Ernest Green, Elizabeth Eckford, and Jefferson Thomas, commonly referred collectively as the "Little Rock Nine" on the occasion of the 40th anniversary of the integration of the Central High School in Little Rock, Arkansas.

The message also announced that the Senate agrees to the amendments of the House to the bill (S. 318) "An Act to require automatic cancellation and notice of cancellation rights with respect to private mortgage insurance which is required as a condition for entering into a residential mortgage transaction, to abolish the Thrift Depositor Protection Oversight Board, and for other purposes" with amendments.

#### ¶68.5 PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. COLLINS, laid before the House a communication, which was read as follows:

#### COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE, Washington, DC, July 2, 1998.

Hon. NEWT GINGRICH,  
Speaker, House of Representatives,  
Washington, DC.

DEAR NEWT: Enclosed please find copies of resolutions approved by the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure on June 25, 1998, in accordance with 40 U.S.C. Sec. 606.

With warm regards, I remain  
Sincerely,

BUD SHUSTER,  
Chairman.

The communication, together with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

#### ¶68.6 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 4194

Mr. LINDER, by direction of the Committee on Rules, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 501):

*Resolved*, That at any time after the adoption of this resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 1(b) of rule XXIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4194) making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. Points of order against consideration of the bill for failure to comply with section 306 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 are waived. General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations. After general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. The amendment printed in the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying this resolution shall be considered as adopted in the House and in the Committee of the Whole. Points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended, for failure to comply with clause 2 or 6 of rule XXI are waived except as follows: page 88, line 16, through page 91, line 3. Where points of order are waived against part of a paragraph, points of order against a provision in another part of such paragraph may be made only against such provision and not against the entire paragraph. The amendment printed in the Congressional Record and numbered 12 pursuant to clause 6 of rule XXIII may be offered only by Representative Leach of Iowa or his designee, shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for 40 minutes equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, shall not be subject to amendment, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole. All points of order against that amendment are waived. During consideration of the bill for further amendment, the Chairman of the Committee of the Whole may accord priority in recognition on the basis of whether the Member offering an amendment has caused it to be printed in the portion of the Congressional Record designated for that purpose in clause 6 of rule XXIII. Amendments so printed shall be considered as read. The chairman of the Committee of the Whole may: (1) postpone until a time during further consideration in the Committee of the Whole a request for a recorded vote on any amendment; and (2) reduce to five minutes the minimum time for electronic voting on any postponed question that follows another electronic vote without intervening business,

provided that the minimum time for electronic voting on the first in any series of questions shall be 15 minutes. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill for amendment the Committee shall rise and report the bill, as amended, to the House with such amendments as may have been adopted. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and amendments thereto to final passage without intervening motion except one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

When said resolution was considered. Mr. LINDER submitted the following amendment:

Page 2, line 15, strike "The amendment" and all that follows through "line 3." on line 21 and insert the following: "The amendment printed in the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying this resolution, as modified by striking '\$5,000,000,000' in the proposed section 425(g) and inserting '\$5,000,000', shall be considered as adopted in the House and in the Committee of the Whole. Points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended, for failure to comply with clause 2 or 6 of rule XXI are waived except as follows: page 88, line 16, through page 89, line 22."

After debate,

Mr. LINDER moved the previous question on the amendment and the resolution to their adoption or rejection.

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House now order the previous question on the amendment and the resolution?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. COLLINS, announced that the yeas had it.

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House agree to said amendment?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. COLLINS, announced that the yeas had it.

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House agree to said resolution?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. COLLINS, announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. HALL of Ohio objected to the vote on the ground that a quorum was not present and not voting.

A quorum not being present,

The roll was called under clause 4, rule XV, and the call was taken by electronic device.

When there appeared { Yeas ..... 227  
Nays ..... 195

¶68.7 [Roll No. 285]

#### YEAS—227

Aderholt	Boehner	Chabot
Archer	Bonilla	Chambliss
Armey	Bono	Chenoweth
Bachus	Brady (TX)	Christensen
Baker	Bryant	Coble
Ballenger	Bunning	Coburn
Barr	Burr	Collins
Barrett (NE)	Burton	Combest
Bartlett	Buyer	Cook
Barton	Callahan	Cooksey
Bass	Calvert	Cox
Bateman	Camp	Crane
Bereuter	Campbell	Cubin
Bilbray	Canady	Cunningham
Bilirakis	Cannon	Davis (VA)
Bliley	Capps	Deal
Boehlert	Castle	DeLay